



Attorney Docket No. 06618-579001/CIT3148

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Peter Schroeder et al. Art Unit : 2671  
Serial No.: 09/658,214 Examiner : Adam Arnold  
Filed : September 8, 2000  
Title : COMPRESSION OF 3D SURFACES USING PROGRESSIVE  
GEOMETRY

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR BELATED CORRECTION OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS

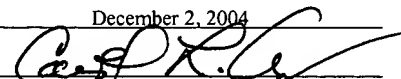
Sir:

To the best knowledge of the undersigned, the small entity status was originally claimed in good faith and without deceptive intent. With the joint assignment of the application to the California Institute of Technology and Lucent Technologies, Inc., certain fees have erroneously been paid at the small entity rate.

As required by 37 CFR 1.28 (c) applicant herewith provides payment of the deficiency between the actual amount paid, and the amount due. These amounts include:

Filing	Filing Date	Small Entity Fee	Large Entity Fee	Deficiency
Provisional	1/14/00	\$75	\$160	\$ 85
Utility	9/8/00	\$345	\$790	\$445
Assignment	5/31/02	\$40	\$40	\$ 0
<b>TOTAL:</b>				<b>\$530</b>

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Since Rule 28c indicates that the error will be excused upon payment of the deficiency, it is respectfully suggested that this should cure the improper small entity request.

A \$530 check is enclosed to cover the deficiency payment. Please apply any charges not covered or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: December 2, 2004

  
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**Mail Stop Amendment**

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR AUTOMATIC EXTENSION

Correspondence relating to this application is enclosed. The required fees are computed below. Please apply any charges not covered, or any credits, to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Total Claims	25	-	20 (17)	=	5	\$ 90
Independent	3	-	3 (2)	=	0	\$ 0
Fees to change from small entity to large entity						\$530

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for a 1 month extension of time.

\$110

TOTAL FEE DUE

\$730

A check for \$730 is attached.

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